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CAMPAIGN TO BE STARTED TO ADD TO MEMBERSHIP

Commercial Association Last Night Commissions Each Member to Act as Special Committee.

INCREASE OF 100 IS WANTED

Present Membership Is 188 Active Workers—High Compliments Are Paid to the Efficiency of the Association-Matter of Agriculturist Is

Every member of the Pendleton Commercial association was commissioned last evening a special committee on membership and, beginning the first of the year, a united effort will be made to increase the membership. At present there are 188 active members upon the association roster and, in the opinion of the officers, there should be at reast a hundred

J. E. Mullinix, a recent comer to Pendleton, called the attention of the association to the necessity of going out after the new arrivals. Incidentslly he paid the local association the tribute of heing the livest club of its kind with which he has ever been associated.

The general discussion was caused a suggestion by R. Alexander that it was possible for the association to get more out of its money than is now received. This statement he made without reflecting upon President Tallman, who, he said, had done more for the club than any other man who ever held the chair. His contention was that the president should not have to give so much attention to details, and he favored paying some young man for answering correspondence. The idea of a low-salaried secretary was opposed by George Harr man and others who contended that in the long run the high salaried man was the cheaper. Dr. I. U. Temple also paid a warm compliment to the efficiency of the Commercial organ-

One new member, L. A. Reineman, begin is activities.

The matter of a county agricultur. ist was discussed briefly but no aced the suggestion of a county agriculturist in this county, declaring that high breeding of wheat has caused the percentage of giuten to run down to so low a point that soon the local grower would find his wheat marked down. He based his assertion on statements of millers, he said.

An expression of thanks from the Horse & Mule Breeders' association for aid given at the last show was read and the association promised moral and financial aid for the 1916

Minnesota is Being Towed Into Port in Crippled Condition

BOILERS ARE OUT OF COMMIS-SION-HOW ACCIDENT HAP-PENED NOT KNOWN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8 .- With bollers crippled, perhaps by spies or mutineers, the food-laden Hill freighter Minnesota, which recently cleared attacked. from Seattle for England, is being the Communipaw carried a crew of lowed in today by two tugs, replying as. Shipping circles generally believe dertaken at once to secure funds for to a wireless request for more tows to be sent. Officials profess they have the profession of the communipact carried a crew of the countries of the countries of the plaintiff must under the facts of this case alless that the plaintiff must under the facts of this case alless that the facts of this case all the facts of this case alless that the facts of thi from Seattle for England, is being

department said it had received a have been attacked, then escaped, as measure reporting the tugs laqua and the Petrolite did after sending a wire-Dauntiess are now making three less she was being pursued. knots an hour. Their positions are cuers after vainly searching, natural-200 miles south of San Diego. A ly would report her sunk, it was heavy northwest swell is running de- pointed out. spite clear weather. All the Minne-sota's engines are dead. The belief here is general that they have been dor Page at Rome cabled that a ves-tampered with. tampered with.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- That the coast guard cutter McCulloch started tioned. The state department an Deweese were chosen as councilmen. to the aid of the crippled Minnesota, off lower California, but returned to ean region was expected to report Hugh D. Smith is a hold over. Last San Diego when the Minnesota advised that it was not needed, became known at coast guard headquarters.

Girl's Death Mystfies. SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Dec. 5. Physicians at the county hospital are examining the contents of the stomach of Orta Hedges, 14, who died ptomaine poisoning. It has been re-

Now on the Way to Europe



The Oscar II with its delegation of | The ship will proceed to some neupeace advocates is now well on the tral country where a peace confer- cheon to the committee at the White county water master, was voted in way to Europe, accompanied by Hen-last evening. Report was made that ry Ford, the leader or the party, who the junior commercial association is assured that the men of the bell. had been organized and would soon serent nations will be out of the that the expedition would in so was trenches by Christmas.

be official.

ONE REPORT SAYS VESSEL SAFE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES APPOINT IN PORT-ANOTHER SHE HAS BEEN SUNK.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- Ambassa-

ard Oil company has received a ca- saloon. ble from its agent at Alexandria

be sent. Officials process to your annual pro The Merchants' Exchange marine pointed out the Communipaw might ganization.

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at Alexandria on Monday.

Quarrel on Farm Patal. ASHLAND, Wist, Dec. 8.—James Tyndale is dead with two bullet wounds in his body and Jack Corbin LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. s.-Two is being held by the sheriff, charged perished and four were injured in a suddenly in Rediands supposedly from wounds in his body and Jack Corbin

HAVE A COFFEE CLUB

COMMITTEE TO TAKE INI-TIAL STEPS.

dor Page at Rome cabled that the paign for a winter community house the street of Echo. The complaint Communipaw had been captured and or coffee club was made last evening did not charge that any of the emconvoyed to an unknown port. The when the Associated Charities apployes of the company saw her make not pointed a committee to meet with the attempt and, hence, Judge Pheips other organizations of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips other organizations of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the company saw her make the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the company saw her make the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence, Judge Pheips of the city and the attempt and hence attempt attempt and hence attempt attempt

stating the tank ship Communipaw, ed to name a "Bundle Day" some time lous chance by crawling under

THREE COUNCILMEN CHOSEN

(Special Correspondence) ECHO, Ore, Dec. 8 -At the city had been torpedoed and sunk. The election held here yesterday. C. J. scene or other details were not men- Guilliford, William Oliver and Tom nounced the consul in the Mediterran- A mayor was not erected as Mayor evening the Echo volunteer fire company held its annual erection with the LONDON, Dec. 8.—The News following result: Millard Hewett, preparedness program if it is kept Agency published an "official" dis- president; H. R. Willis, vice presipatch that the Communipaw arrived dent; P. C. Hunter, secretary; R. B. Stanfield, treasurer and Asa B. Thom-

Two Die in Flames,

St. Louis Will be Meeting Place of Democrats in 1916

CITY CHOSEN ON SECOND BALLOT FOR NATIONAL CONVENTION IN JUNE.

convention and adopted resolutions calling for the renomination and retrusted leader of national democracy

Chicago and Dallas contested with St. Louis for the honor of the convention, but St. Louis easily led , from the start and won on the second ballot. When the trend of the voting was seen Texas moved that the choice of St. Louis he made unanimous, Dalthe second rollcall.

St. Louis Increases Vote. The result of the first ballot was: The majority for St Louis was gained organized route. The Bulgarian oc- Serbia but are rapidly retiring toward on this ballot when John T. McGraw copation of Monastir was reported Albania. arose near the end of the call and changed West Virginia's vote from Chicago to the Missouri city. Then the choice was made unanimous.

It has been customary heretofore for national conventions to begin work on Tuesday. The fact that Tuesday fell on the 13th next year may or may not have had something to do with the determination of the committee to begin the proceedings a day later. Short Convention Forecast.

The official explanation, however was to the effect that the convention would not rejuire more than three or four days to complete its work, and

publican convention when the national committee of the party meets next Tuesday. The date for this conver-tion probably will be late in June.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.-Chairman McCombs of the democratic national committee announced a special convention will assemble here December 20 to make arrangements for the national convention at St. Louis June 14. The president was host at a lun-House today

DEMURRER OF COMPANY IS UPHELD IN DAMAGE SUIT

COMPLAINT IS HELD INSUFFICI-

An actual beginning upon the cam- to crawl under a train that blocked ated.

The Stand
NEW YORK, Dec. s.—The Stand
wholesome substitute for the banished

A sister, Mrs. E. Lewis, lives at holds in his opinion the doctrine of devise some means of opening a last clear chance cannot be applied. In a convent in Dubuque, Iowa.

Mrs. Shea was a beautiful cha person in possession of their full sens-The Associated Charities also decid- es who will deliberately take a perirecently reported sunk by a submarecently reported sunk by a submarine, arrived safely at Alexandria might contribute some hundle that Sunday. It was admitted there was a possibility the Communityaw might have left Alexandria tater and been attached.

before Christmas upon which citizens than and who could have a contribute some hundle that Jury by the exercise of proper care would prove useful among the poor. A committee was appointed to arrively an idaho supreme court decision and other decisions in support of his rul.

cation of due diligence under the circumstances."

Buenos Aires, at the present rate IN THE ELECTION AT EGHO and be the second city of the hemis-

General. St. Louis is chosen for democratic Senate republicans will not oppos-

Local. Mrs. Anna shea succumbs to pucu-

monia. Demurrer in damage suit against forted that she might have been kill- with the shooting, which is said to fire destroying the Seventh Avenue O.-W. R. & N. is sustained, ed by eating an orange poisoned with have resulted from a quarrel at Tyn- Hotel. A dozen sensational rescues. Associated Charities starts campalgn for winter.

Senate Resublicans to Give Suppo efense Program Kept Out of Caucus

ate republicans will not fight the ad- that while the republicans WASHINGON, Dec. 8.—The demor-ministration preparedness program, strongly in favor of preparedness they eratic national convention of 1916 will provided it is kept out of the demor-will refuse to support the program

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 - The sen-; this morning. He told the president be held at St. Louis, beginning Wed-nesday, June 14, at noon. The demo-cratic naional committee named the cratic naional committee named the

Serbians Lose Many Cannon When Bulgars Win Victory

LONDON, Dec. 8.—"The defeat of Other Bulgarian forces are reported las held second place on the first bai- the Serbians near Kulaluma had the moving on the Albanian border, lot, but was displaced by Chicago on nature of a catastrophe," the Bulvarian war office announced today. The capture of all the Serbian artil-the villages of Madovo and Miranmer. The result of the first ballot was:
St. Louis 25, Dallas 14, Chicago 14, On
the second ballot the vote was:
St. Louis 28, Chicago 15, and Dallas 9.
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SOFIA, Dec. 8 .- The Bulgarian

SURPASSES PREVIOUS YEARS

SALEM, Ore. Dec. 8 .- A combined | since September 12, 1914, indicating statement of all the banks of Oregon & rapid return to normal. The total It would not be too late in the week to start on Wednesday.

Political leaders in Washington regarded it as practically certain that Chicago will be selected for the republican reposition and the banks of Oregon on November 10, shows, a decided business improvement. State Bank Superintendent Sargeant said today last, of \$2.087.869. The deposit interval of the condition is the most satisfactory crease is \$3.882.693.

RESOURCES ARE GREATEST IN

OUR HISTORY, HE DEXLARES

IN REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- A sweep

advances arguments for its discontin-

He supports the idea of government

ic health service or other government

agency, and suggests that the Harrison anti-narcotic act be made more

gress the necessity for more commissioned medical officers and larger

treatment of drug addicts by the pub-

conditions in many cities.

in time of war.

hold the position:

Germans Killed in Explosion,

Mrs. Anna Shea is NATION IS AT HIGH Called by Death; Illness is Brief. POINT OF FINANCIAL

WELL KNOWS WOMAN DIES AT HOSPITAL FROM PLEURAL PNEUMONIA,

Mrs. Anna Shea died here at 2 am today at St. Anthony's hospital from the effects of pleural pneumoning declaration of American financial stability was made by Secretary of the her children had been summoned. The funeral is to be held at 16 o'clock tomorrow morning from St. Mary's Catholic church.

Take and though sudden was not ing declaration of American financial stability was made by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo in his annual report to congress today.

Our financial resources are the greatest in our history and our bank-ing system, through the operation of on's waterways must be developed, a. The end though sudden was not

Mrs. Ashbaugh was killed trying Maher the deceased's mother, is here come of \$2000 or more a year shall from Jordan Valley, as is also a los an income tax. The law at pres-brother, Ambrose Maher. Two other ent provides for net incomes of that brothers, Will and Ed Maher, will ar. amount, leaving it to the individual A sister, Mrs. E. Lewis, lives at \$4, not mention other income tax

ver City, Idaho, and another sister is changes suggested by the secretary in in a convent in Dubuque, lows. a recent statement. Mrs. Shea was a beautiful character and there is widespread regret the so-called pork measure, the omni*

among her many friends because of bus public buildings bill, the secretary

MRS. YOUNG STEPS DOWN AS HEAD OF CHICAGO SCHOOLS

AFTER YEARS OF PUBLIC SERVICE, ANOTHER WILL TAKE

Young closed her service as superin-tendent of the Chicago schools today the only country which does not pro-She left for Los Angeles and San Dis vide for the isolation and care of lepof increase, will pass Chicago in 1930 ego. She may remain in California era. There are approximately 146 and be the second city of the hemisexpects to tour Europe when the war congress is arged to pass a bill intro-ends. She visited her offices for the dised at the last congress, for a nalast time and removed the decora- tional ispresarium. Her successor has not been Flans are being worked out by the appointed.

ATTACHES WILL LEAVE SOON

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Unconfirm aries of assistant socretaries from Phelps as treasurer. The mayor is ed reports around the federal build- \$5000 to \$7500. The present salary, a holdover, Frank McKennis lading ing said. Von Papen, and Boy-ed the secretary points, makes it necess the incumbent. son, chief. The annual firemen's banquet is to be held December 27.

Municipal Christmas tree and chil- would depart for Germany on Tues- sary for men of the caliber desired. Last evening the Hermiston Master banquet is to be held December 27.

Municipal Christmas tree and chil- day. Steamship offices said they had to sacrifice themselves financially to some lodge elected officers as follows:

> No safe Conduct Asked. LONDON, Dec. 8 .- Grey told the

Plan Suggested by Rev. Snyder and Dr. Vincent is Endorsed Last Evening by Commercial Club.

MUNICIPAL

Big Tree Will Be Set Up at Main and Court Streets and Gaily Decorated With Colored Lights—Santa Claus Will Distribute Gifts of Candy to Little Ones.

A municipal Christmas tree, aglow with colored lights and burdened with candy, will bring delight to the hearts of Pendleton children on Christmas eve.

The plan, first started by Rev. J. E. Snyder and Dr. F. W. Vincent, was endorsed last evening by the Commercial association and a committee was named by President Taliman to assist in the preparation for this nov-

el celebration of the Tuletide. The plan is to set up a tall evergreen tree at the intersection of Main and Court streets. Strings of lights will be suspended between the tree and the four corner poles and myriids of tiny colored lights will be sprinkled among the branches. Vincent, who is manager of the Pa-cific Power & Light Co., has volunteered to contribute the lights without cost.

On the tree will be hung hundreds of bags of candy and a Santa Claus will distribute the gifts among the children. There will be plenty for Very child in the city.

This will, however, not be all of the municipal observance. A big float, drawn by six horses and occupled by forty children, will drive through the streets and the children will sing Christmas carols. They are already reheasing their songs under He direction of Miss Eleanor Vincent and Eugene Molitor.

Waterways Should be Developed Says Secretary Redfield

ENT BY CIRCUIT JUDGE
PHELPS.

Catholic church.

Mrs. Shea was born in New York
Holding that the complaint filed by L. B. Ashbaugh, administrator of the estate of Alice L. Ashbaugh who was killed at Echo by an O.-W. R. & Bond, of Portland, wno is here; Miss insufficient for a cause of action. Judge Phelps this morning sustained the demurrer, of the rail-road company.

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September 17, 1868. She came to Pendleton 15 years ago and her huss trongest in the world, he said.
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Wheat Price Down Somewhat Today

CHICAGO, Dec., 8 .- (Special)-Dec. \$1.116 1-4, \$1.15 5-8; May \$1.17 Indicating the fight to be made on

PORTLAND, Ore., Des. 8 .- (Specialt-club 92 1-2, 96. Bluestem 96c, nance. He cites had public building

> Liverpool. LIVERPOOL Dec. 8.-Wheat-Spot No. 1. Manitoba, 11s 10d m 10s Ed; No. 3, 11s ad; No. 2 hard whole new, 11s 4d; No. 2 hard winter, old, 12s 7d.

Concerning the public health ser-vice, the secretary urges upon con-

Boy Pleads Not Guilty. CHICAGO, Dec. s.—Mrs. Ella Flagg public health field investigation. He Los ANGELES, Dec. 8.—Howard Main, messenger boy, accused of National bank, pleaded not guilty to the charge.

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

says, to make the tormer organization a valuable auxiliary to the navy HERMISTON, Ore., Dec. The secretary also calls attention the Hermiston city election held nors to the saving effected by the treas- yesterday J. W. Campbell, William news innovation of shipping money Kenney and H. D. Pounds were more by parcel post rather than express, ed as councilmen. C M Jensee was the recommends increasing the sal-chosen recorder and Miss Mande

lows: Charles Skitmer, W. M.; M. D. Scroggs, S. W., A. L. Larmo, J. LONDON, Dec. 8.—Eighty Ger- Swayze, treasure). The Eastern Star commons America has not asked for mans were killed in an explosion in a lodge will hold an efection of office safe conduct for Von Papen and Boy- Namur fort on the western battle cers next Toronto and a joint instals. front, according to a report here. lation will be held.